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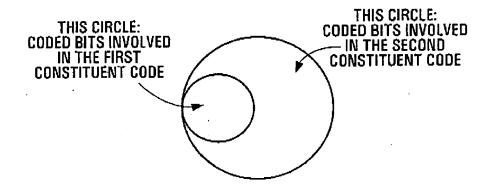
VENN DIAGRAM DEPICTING CODED BITS OF TURBO CODE SHOWN IN FIG. 4 OF BERROU'S JOURNAL PAPER.

THIS REGION: VARIOUS TERMS CAN BE USED TO DESCRIBE THE BITS OF THIS REGION: "OVERLAPPED BITS" "SHARED BITS" "INTERLOCKED BITS" THIS CIRCLE: "INTERLEAVED BITS" THIS CIRCLE: **CODED BITS CODED BITS INVOLVED IN** INVOLVED IN CONSTITUENT CONSTITUENT CODE 1 CODE 2

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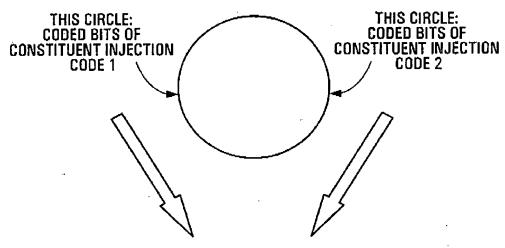
VENN DIAGRAM DEPICTION OF THE CODED BITS OF AN SCCC CODE



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DIAGRAM C:

VENN DIAGRAM DEPICTION OF THE CODED BITS OF THE DIDI COMPOSITE CODE STRUCTURE ILLUSTRATED IN FIG. 5 OF THE PATENT SPECIFICATION



N.B. THESE TWO CIRCLES
ARE THE SAME
(THEY ARE COINCIDENT)